

TOWN OF EAST WINDSOR

FIRST SELECTMAN JASON E. BOWSZA

January 4, 2022

Amy Lam, Town Clerk Town of East Windsor 11 Rye Street Broad Brook, CT 06016

Re:

Order for Town-Wide Indoor Mask Mandate – effective January 7, 2022

Dear Ms. Lam.

Over the last several weeks, the Town of East Windsor has seen and continues to see alarming increases in COVID-19 cases within our community. Since December 1, our confirmed cases, fourteen day rolling average, and case rate per 100,000 people have all seen a six-fold increase.

In Executive Order 13A, Governor Lamont has left the authority for issuing mask mandates to the municipal Chief Executive Officer. Without question, the deteriorating circumstances in Connecticut would be best served by Governor Lamont issuing a statewide policy.

Absent a statewide policy, Governor Lamont has left it to individual municipalities to take precautions in the best interests of our community. Therefore, pursuant to Governor Lamont's Executive Order 13A, effective Friday, January 7th, I am ordering a town-wide indoor mask mandate for any spaces that are frequented by the public. Exceptions to this mandate are children under two (2) years of age, or when people are seated and eating or drinking in a bar or restaurant, or when someone has a valid written medical exemption from a physician. All private businesses within the Town of East Windsor are required to have all employees and patrons wear a mask while in their facility.

This order shall be in effect until February 1, 2022.

Town Clerks Office

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Sincerely,

son E. Bowsza First Selectman

East Windsor Board of Selectman

Edward J. DeMarco, Jr., Police Chief and Emergency Management Director Roger T. Hart, Deputy Police Chief and Deputy Emergency Management Director